The Ambassador of Hungary

Mr. Warren L. Miller Chairman United States Commission for the Preservation of America's Heritage Abroad 888 17th Street, N.W., Suite 1160 Washington, D.C. 20006

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Dear Mr. Chairman,

On behalf of the Government of Hungary and that of my own I would like to express our strong determination to conclude a bilateral agreement with the United States Commission for the Preservation of America's Heritage Abroad in order to ensure the preservation, protection and proper maintenance of our historical and cultural memorials, sites and properties.

The Hungarian Ministry of Cultural Heritage is performing the legal harmonizing process in connection with the Commission's text proposal. We will be glad to inform you about any latest developments.

Thank you very much for your devotion to this important cause.

Sincerely,

Andras Simony